

## **NEWS ADVISORY**

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## West Valley City Family Fitness Center Opens Pools to Furry Friends

**WHAT:** Dog Days of Summer

**WHEN:** Saturday, August 29, 2:00 – 5:30 p.m.

Small Dogs Only (under 25 pounds): 2 – 2:30 p.m.

All dogs: 2:30 – 5:30 p.m.

Doggy Long Jump Competition: 2:30 p.m.

Doggy Paddle Race: 3:30 p.m.

WHERE: Family Fitness Center, 5415 West 3100 South

**WHO:** Everyone is invited to bring their well-behaved dog(s). Admission is \$3 per dog.

**WHY:** Before the West Valley City Family Fitness Center closes its pools for the annual

cleaning; the public is invited to bring their well-behaved best friends for a dip in the pool. From 2:00 – 2:30 p.m., dogs under 25 pounds will have the pool to themselves.

From 2:30 – 5:30 p.m. all dogs will be allowed in the pool.

A Doggy Long Jump competition will be held from 2:30-3:00 p.m. for dogs with jumping skills, and from 3:30-4:00 p.m. a Doggy Paddle race will test the skills of the quickest pooches.

Every dog will receive a doggy bag filled with goodies, and there will be raffles held throughout the event. In addition, the West Valley City Animal Shelter will be on hand providing a pet vaccination clinic.

For more information, call the West Valley City Family Fitness Center at (801) 955-4000.